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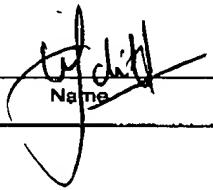
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Title: INCREASING THE PROLIFERATIVE CAPACITY  
OF CELLS USING TELOMERASE REVERSE  
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**TRANSMITTAL**

Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks  
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following:

- This Transmittal (2 pages – in duplicate)
- Supplemental Amendment (7 pages)

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$468 to Deposit Account  
No. 07-1139 for the following fees, referencing the docket number indicated above.

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